



# THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 25  
December 3, 2009

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*Chair*

Maria R. Whyte  
*Majority Leader*

John J. Mills  
*Minority Leader*

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*Clerk of the Legislature*

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## ROLL CALL

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INVOCATION – Mr. Loughran

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mr. Rath

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## TABLED ITEMS

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## ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

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## MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

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## PUBLIC HEARING

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## MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

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MAZUR	In Remembrance of the Life of Paul Joseph Krzystek
MAZUR	Memorial Resolution Honoring former N.Y.S. Senator Joseph A. Tauriello
MAZUR & KENNEDY	In Memory of Anthony H. “Tony” Sisti Sr.

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## LOCAL LAWS:

## REFERENCE:

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LL INT. 2-1 3/18/2008	RANZENHOFER, MILLS & RATH	A LL Requiring Businesses to Verify that Employees are Legally Eligible to be Employed in the US and Erie County	Economic Development
LL INT. 4-1 6/5/2009	KENNEDY	A LL in relation to reducing the size of the Erie County Legislature and changing the term of office for members of the Erie County Legislature	Government Affairs
LL INT. 5-1 6/9/2009	MILLS, RATH & WALTER	A LL in relation to reducing the size of the Erie County Legislature	Government Affairs
LL INT. 6-1 6/9/2009	MILLS, RATH & WALTER	A LL in relation to limiting the terms of office of Erie County elected officials	Government Affairs
LL INT. 7-1 6/11/2009	KONST & IANNELLO	A LL to Reform the Erie County Charter by Limiting the Term of Office that an Elected County Legislator Can Hold	Government Affairs

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LL INT. 9-1 7/06/2009	LOUGHRAN	A LL in relation to reducing the size of the Erie County Legislature	Government Affairs
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LL INT. 11-1 11/30/2009	IANNELLO & REYNOLDS	A LL to Allow For Exemption from Real Property Taxes of Certain Capital Improvements to Residential Buildings	
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**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

REPORT NO. 1 FINANCE & MANAGEMENT/BUDGET COMMITTEE

**LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:**

**REFERENCE:**

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INTRO 25-1	TERRANOVA, MARINELLI, MILLS, KOZUB, WALTER, GRANT, IANNELLO, REYNOLDS, LOUGHRAN & RATH	Supporting Federal Legislation (S.2794) to Provide a Tax Benefit to Hunters Who Donate Venison to Anti-Hunger Programs	
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INTRO 25-2	MAZUR, MARINELLI, MILLS, KOZUB, WALTER, TERRANOVA, GRANT, IANNELLO, REYNOLDS, LOUGHRAN & RATH	Obtaining a Status Report on the Distribution of Swine Flu Vaccine in Erie County	
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INTRO 25-3	MARINELLI, MILLS, KOZUB, WALTER, TERRANOVA, GRANT, IANNELLO, REYNOLDS, LOUGHRAN & RATH	Calling on the Federal Government to Fund the Long-Planned Niagara River Boardwalk	
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INTRO 25-4	GRANT, MARINELLI, MILLS, KOZUB, WALTER, TERRANOVA, IANNELLO, REYNOLDS, LOUGHRAN & RATH	Assessing the Impact of the June 1, 2009 Implementation of WHTI on Cross-Border Tourism, Commerce and the Regional Economy	
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**COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:**

**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:**

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

**REFERENCE:**

COMM. 25E-1	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Approval Notification Concerning LL Intro No. 10-2009	R&F
COMM. 25E-2	COMPTROLLER	City of Buffalo Cellblock Agreement - Renegotiation of Payment Amount	Public Safety
COMM. 25E-3	GRANT	Copy of Letter to Environment & Planning Commissioner Requesting Attendance at an Upcoming Community Enrichment Committee Meeting	Community Enrichment
COMM. 25E-4	IANNELLO	Notice of Absence From Legislative Session to be Held December 3, 2009	RFP
COMM. 25E-5	WALTER	Notice of Absence From Legislature Special Meeting Held November 25, 2009	RFP
COMM. 25E-6	RATH	Notice of Absence From Legislature Special Meeting Held November 25, 2009	RFP
COMM. 25E-7	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Transfer of Funds - Health Division	Health & Human Services
COMM. 25E-8	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Amend the New York Connects Budgets	Health & Human Services
COMM. 25E-9	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Engineering Term Agreement - CHA	Energy & Environment
COMM. 25E-10	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Allow the EC Dept. of Mental Health to Enter Agreement with the Buffalo Fire Dept. to Accept Funds for EC Mental Health Emergency Planning Coordinator	Health & Human Services
COMM. 25E-11	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Medical Examiner's Div. - National Forensic Sciences Improvement Act	Health & Human Services
COMM. 25E-12	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Donate Surplus County Vehicle to the Boy Scouts	Community Enrichment
COMM. 25E-13	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Youth Bureau Contract Increases	Health & Human Services

COMM. 25E-14	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Proposed Intermunicipal Agreement - Village of Hamburg	Energy & Environment
COMM. 25E-15	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Contract Close-Out - Tom Greenauer Development, Inc.	Energy & Environment
COMM. 25E-16	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Contract Close-Out - Paul Gallo Contracting, Inc.	Energy & Environment
COMM. 25E-17	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Socail Services - International Institute Interpreter Services Contract	Health & Human Services
COMM. 25E-18	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Verizon Business Services Contract	
COMM. 25E-19	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Traffic Safety Grant 2009-2010	
COMM. 25E-20	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Property Transfer to International Institute	
COMM. 25E-21	COUNTY CLERK	Resolution to Approve Lease from Northtown Inc. as landlord to County of Erie for Northtown Auto Bureau	

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:**

**REFERENCE:**

COMM. 25D-1	EC HISTORIAN	Progress Report for Projects Completed or In-Progress - 11/15/09	Community Enrichment
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**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PEOPLE AND OTHER AGENCIES:**

**REFERENCE:**

COMM. 25M-1	NYSDEC	Fish and Wildlife Monthly Highlights - 9/16/09 - 10/15/09	Energy & Environment
COMM. 25M-2	COLUCCI & GALLAHER, P.C.	ECMCC Agenda Items for Board of Directors Meeting Held 10/29/09	Health & Human Services
COMM. 25M-3	EVANS TOWN CLERK	Copy of N. Evans Fire District Detailed Estimate of Sums Required for Use for 2010	Public Safety
COMM. 25M-4	NFTA	PARIS Report for Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2010	Economic Development
COMM. 25M-5	ECFSA	2010 Budget Recommendations	Finance & Management
COMM. 25M-6	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - PUSH BUFFALO	Copy of Letter Regarding 2010 Budget Appropriations	Economic Development
COMM. 25M-7	NYSDEC	Fact Sheet - Cleanup Activities to Begin at Bengart & Memel Site - Buffalo	Energy & Environment
COMM. 25M-8	MICHAEL GWATHNEY	Letter Regarding the Closing of EC Health Clinics	Health & Human Services

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:**

**ADJOURNMENT:**